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BIG THINGS DOING AT MILITARY CAMP

STATE SPENDING MUCH ON IMPROVEMENTS

Illinois Regt. Here July 7-21; Mich. Div. July 23-Aug. 20

The State Military board is spending about \$60,000 at the Hanson State Military reservation this spring in the way of added buildings and improvements to others. Also improvements will be made at the Flying field. There will be 28 new mess halls and kitchens.

A entirely new camp equipment in buildings will be completed for the 132d Field artillery and new mess halls for the 119th Field artillery. There will be two new mess halls for the 107th Medical regiment.

New concrete floors will be built into all the kitchens in the camp and concrete and fire brick for all stove bases. And the target range will undergo a lot of improvements.

New Buildings for Flying Field. Two new mess halls and kitchens will be built at the flying field north of town for the Air squadron. Also a lot of work is being done on the grounds in the way of heavy rolling and filling in any holes. With these improvements Grayling will have one of the finest flying fields in the State.

Contracts have already been let for this work and the work will be pushed rapidly to completion. Besides the above there will be a lot of miscellaneous repairs and improvements that will be handled by the regular camp crew.

202d F. A. Coming July 7

The 202d Coast Artillery of Chicago will open summer camp here Saturday, July 7th and remain to July 21st. This is an anti-aircraft organization and is recognized as being the best organization of its kind among the National Guard of America. They held camp here last year and were so favorably impressed that they are coming again this year. General practices were very spectacular and different from any shown before and attracted a lot of visitors to camp, both during the daytime and at night. Airplanes are used extensively in their practice work, and many machines were in the air daily during the training of that regiment.

Mich. Troops Coming July 23

Michigan National guard will begin their summer schedule of training July 23rd and continue to August 20th. This will mean about four weeks of camp this summer, instead of three as has been the usual custom. The 1st squadron of Cavalry is to be the first in camp, arriving July 23rd and will continue to August 6th. This fine troop of Cavalry that made such a spectacular showing during the last two training periods appears to have the camp alone for about a week, according to the schedule given out by Col. LeRoy Pearson.

On August 2 the 132d Field Artillery will arrive and remain for two weeks, leaving on the 16th. This is Col. Fickert's famous Million Dollar organization and probably the best in the world.

The 32d Division Headquarters Infantry regiment, the 107th Medical regiment, special troops and the 32d Division Air service will arrive August 4th and remain until August 18th. The 119th Field artillery will arrive August 6th and remain to the 20th.

MANY NEW MEMBERS JOIN E. M. T. ASSOCIATION

(By F. M. T. Service)
Concrete evidences of the growing interest in and co-operation with the East Michigan Tourist association activities are reacted in the new members which are being added to the association roster. Last month the membership increase totalled \$2,500. This did not include the membership renewals. Marked increases have been made every month since the new year began.

It is said that Great Britain put out her latest naval propositions as "feelers". Judging from the reaction in the American press they don't feel so good.

School Notes

Editors—Isbrand Harder, Ellen Speck, Corinne Sheldon.

The Woman's Club offered prizes to the two High School students who wrote the best essays on "Better Homes." Eleanor Gorman and Kathryn Mallinger were the prize winners, having submitted the best essays.

Miss Adams—Charles, where is the capital of Italy?
Charles W.—Jerusalem.

Stanley S.—I sure told that girl what I thought of her.
Elmer F.—And what did she say?
Stanley—"She said she loved me too."

Ellen G.—The man I marry must be brave as a lion, but not forward; handsome as a Greek God, but not conceited; wise as Solomon, but meek as a lamb; a man who is kind to every woman, but who loves only one.

Alva S.—By jove! How lucky we met!

Jerry H.—You raised your hat to that girl who passed. You don't know her do you?

Shirley S.—No, but my brother does and this is his hat.

Marie S.—I don't think window cleaners have such dangerous jobs after all.

Dorothy M.—Why?
Marie—I heard of an editor who dropped eleven stories into a basket.

Kendall—"Clara, if you really like this ukelele, I'm going to give it to you."

Clara—"An out and out gift?"
Kendall—"Absolutely, there's no strings to it."

Dorothy H.—Ha!—As Henry Ford stepped out of the train he straightened out his six feet and smiled.

"Better Homes"
—Eleanor Gorman

Did you ever stop to think what a wonderful place home is? We spend a greater part of our life at home. It is man's only possession. The only thing he can call his own. A home is a home whether it be a thirty room mansion or a two room shack. Better homes week is one of the most progressive movements of America.

A clean, tidy home insures cheerfulness; cheerfulness insures good health which cannot possibly exist in a disorderly home. It is much better to see a woman singing happily about her work with all the time saving devices installed in her realm—the kitchen, saving her hundreds of "cents" and making her life not one of a drudge but a pleasure. On the other hand picture a woman in a soiled house dress, her hair is down and uncombed, shouting at her children in a shrill voice. Her home is untidy her yard a combination rubbish heap and debris pile. There is no sign of poverty about the place but the main factor is that it is unclean! A wealthy person may have beautiful furniture and portraits but if it isn't clean it isn't of any value. A poor man may have little furniture but it is clean and a home, a benefit to his community.

The outside of the home is just as important as the inside. We can't all have velvet lawns, marble fountains and hedges, but we can have clean yards. Rake up and burn the dead leaves and rubbish, bury the tin cans and see if your yard can't look like your millionaire neighbor's. Plant flowers along your walks. If we have the right kind of devices in the home surely we can spend some time on flowers. Let us not have just "Better Homes Week" but have it all the year. And when some friend drops in we can proudly say this is my home, and we need give no excuses as to how it looks.

"Better Homes"
—Kathryn Mallinger

Because this is Better Homes week, I will write about "Better Homes For Birds". We should not only think of our own homes but the homes of our little friends, the song birds.

Have you ever heard the birds singing on a cool morning, as the sun was just rising above the tree tops?

A. & P. CO. BUYS PETERSEN GROCERY

TO OCCUPY PETERSEN BLDG. NOW BEING REMODELED

Hans Petersen has completed a transaction with the Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Co., for the rental of his store building, the final papers for the lease being signed Tuesday evening.

The Petersen building that is now undergoing remodeling will be occupied by the new owners. The A. & P. Co. stock will be moved into the new quarters just as soon as the work of remodeling is finished.

Mr. Petersen had nearly completed putting a new brick front with plate glass windows, and also extensive widening of the building. Since the transaction further recommended changes by the new occupants will be made. The upper story of the building will be taken down and the structure made into a square front one story building. The door that now occupies the new part will be replaced with a plate glass window.

With the changes to the front and re-arrangement of the interior this is going to be a very attractive store building. Mr. Petersen hasn't full, decided just what he will do, but he doesn't think he will keep busy at something.

The building now being occupied by the Petersen grocery will be occupied by the Kraus Estate Hardware, Mr. and Mrs. Barnett, owners of the hardware, having recently purchased it from Thos. Cassidy.

The Petersen stock will be closed out as fast as possible. Goods are being offered for sale big reduction in prices.

If you have you will know why I think we should have more bird houses. Bird houses form a protection against cats, dogs, hawks, and even children who are attracted by the pretty colors of the eggs, or the little birds themselves, thus frightening the parent birds away of causing other bird catastrophes.

A little wooden box can be made into a pretty bird house, just cut a hole in one side of the box, big enough for the bird to slip through, put a roof on the box and perch on which the birds can rest. Then paint it with some of Dad's left-over paint and set it up on a pole or nail it to the house. A more experienced carpenter could build a house with a porch or several apartments so that more than one family can live under the same roof.

You must remember, though, to clean the bird houses after the birds have left and before they return from the south because birds do not like to use the same nests for more than one summer.

CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR VISITS GRAYLING

Mr. Robert R. Pointer of West Branch was in the city Monday doing some missionary work in the interest of his candidacy for the Republican nomination for the office of governor.

Mr. Pointer says that he feels that the people haven't been fully satisfied with the Green administration. Mr. Pointer isn't as well known in this part of the state as he is in Wayne county. His interests have largely been in thoroughbred stock raising, and is the owner of the fine stock farm just north of West Branch on M-76. He formerly resided in Dearborn.

It was four years ago that there was a big demand that Henry Ford head an independent ticket for the presidency. At the final moment Mr. Ford concluded that he would not care to be a candidate. A Ford party had already been organized and Mr. Pointer was induced to accept the nomination in place of Mr. Ford.

Those who know Mr. Pointer cannot help but appreciate his high qualities of statesmanship. He is well informed on public matters and is always ready to defend the principles of right and justice. There is little probability that the Republican field will be limited to two candidates, but if it should we believe Gov. Green would find in Mr. Pointer a worthy opponent.

Extend Time for Clean-up

The State Health Department at Lansing has issued very strict orders about cleaning up. Their orders must be complied with.

On account of considerable sickness the time for cleaning up will be extended to the week ending May 12th. By that time please have your yards free from rubbish and filth.

H. PETERSEN,
Village President.

PREACHES BETTER HOMES SERMON

By Rev. J. W. Greenwood, Minister
Michelson Memorial Church, Sunday April 22d

(Continued from last week.)

But just here another question in the average home arises. So many have asked what Paul meant when he said: "Women be obedient to your husbands." In fact we used to elicit that promise from the bride at the marriage altar—to love, honor, and obey. Personally I think that that rule is workable in the sense which Paul meant it. For that is not all Paul said. He had something to say to the husband also. "Husbands—love your wives, as Christ loved the church, and gave Himself for it." A husband whose love is on that divine order need not fear but what a wife's obedience would be gladly given. We have thought that that "to obey" was wrong, for we had too many husbands who were taking the vow given to their wives seriously and forgetting that they had a tremendous obligation to fulfill.

This is a day when the woman is being thought of in all respects as being man's equal. Democracy is being urged for the home as well as the state and more and more we are aware that a husband and wife can love each other, and yet not be in a real sense, partners and friends. What Woodrow Wilson advised in the interests of amity between nations, "Open covenants openly arrived at," is likewise good for a home. No man or woman can do things secretly, by which they do not feel at ease to talk over with the other without undermining the social structure of the home with dynamite.

But someone is apt to object to the contention of democracy in the home in the interests of home discipline. Children be obedient to your parents, we are told. And yet there is a way of obtaining obedience in the home aside from the perpetual use of the sledge and hammer method. Have you ever known a home more lovely than that home where the mother was a girl with her daughters and the father a pal to his boys? John Wesley used to say "That the parent should break the child's will in order to save it's soul, and God was wonderfully wise in denying children to John Wesley. Why should children's wills be broken? For a broken will is a ruined will. Rather, they should be controlled. There is an openness and frankness about modern youth which is exciting, but that does not bother me half as much as the danger I see in parents being so slovenly engaged in many trivial matters so that the children are allowed to gather material for a life from vicious sources.

So too in the Christian home, we must shape the new attitude toward the state. Today the papers are making the suggestion that we foster a spirit of patriotism that will eliminate the institution of war. So long Old Age should be regarded from the point of view as to what it is worth

colonels, and generals, and heroes, so long will we have boys in our homes thinking of war in terms of glory and wonder.

A man may wear a uniform, and be spotlessly groomed, but that is no indication of the loftiness of his character. Returned men readily recall other men in the service who were anything but heroes in their eyes. The military man is entitled to the full credit for his services, but the uniform does not guarantee character or patriotism. War, at times, especially in our stage of civilization, may be necessary, in self-defense, but you cannot idealize "actual" war except by lying about it. The American home is faced with a tremendous task in his field of approach at the present time.

The place held by the American home will always be the highest so long as we remember and build our whole home-structure about the individual. "Jesus took a child and put him in the midst of them," and said "To such belongeth the Kingdom of God." That is the one true unit of value both in the home and in the state. Nothing else is of worth except relatively so. The home can best help the state by making the most of the children in the home. The future of our world is in their hands in a very few years. The torch which we now bear forward must be passed on to them. Through them the future is in our making.

Just here there is an inherent danger. And that is that of looking upon children as "ends" in themselves, as a sort of investment by the state. Hence department of health, and other activities are often directed to save boys and girls because of the dollars and cents value to the State at large. This is a barbarous concept, especially when we think of them as cannon fodder. So too it is dangerous to think of children as mere instruments in our hands to accomplish certain ends. A child is worth more than dollar and cents. A child is more than an instrument. A child is a Unit in the Kingdom of God. A growing person, a being of wondrous worth in himself. A bit of heaven's everlastingness. A cherry orchard at Traverse City in blossom time has a beauty all of its own apart from the luscious cherries which we expect to gather next August. With this in mind, we can see the danger to the dependent child in orphan asylums ruled with a rigid regularity and an over-standardized school system.

But what of the American Home and the attitude of the children toward the parents? An old commandment tells us to honor our fathers and mothers. That implies of course fathers and mothers who strive to be worthy of that honor. The real test of democracy will be its regard for the old. The rush and strain of modern life is apt to make for their neglect. It is just as wrong to sanction forces that make for an (unnatural) old age, as it is to tolerate forces that make a stunted childhood. As it is wrong to think of their future, so it is wrong to think of old people merely from a sense of their past. Old Age should be regarded from the point of view as to what it is worth

SENIOR CLASS PLAY FRIDAY, MAY 4

The Senior class play, "The House of a Thousand Thrills", that is to be given Friday, May 4th, is something different in a high school play. It is a mystery drama, the scene of which takes place in a Long Island country home, owned by the wealthy Mrs. Carleton.

The plot of the story centers around a very valuable necklace. The presence of a prowling burglar, who is a smooth young swindler, and an unscrupulous Hindu woman among the cast, does not prevent the development of two charming love stories, interwoven with the major threads of the plot.

Cast of Characters are as follows:

Mrs. Rachel Carleton "The wealthy eccentric old mistress of Carleton House"—Isbrand Harder.

Agnes Melville "Mrs. Carleton's second granddaughter"—Ruth Chamberlain.

Ronald Melville "Ronnie her grandson"—Edward Mason.

Paul D. Albert "Ronnie's friend, an artist"—Earl Gierke.

Miss Derby "Mrs. Carleton's companion"—Miss Adams.

Velvet "A burglar"—Truman LaVack.

David Arden "A young English author interested in mysteries"—Marius Hanson.

Mona Carleton "Mrs. Carleton's favorite granddaughter"—Martha Bidvia.

Serena Carleton "Mrs. Carleton's unmarried daughter"—Ethel Taylor.

Travers "The butler at Carleton House"—Isbrand Harder.

Emily Temple "Mrs. Carleton's secretary"—Marie Schmidt.

in itself. For in the lives of the fathers and mothers in our homes, fathers and mothers who have grown old naturally, without the haunting fears, there comes a quiet which catches some of the glories of the upper sky which we younger people cannot see. The aging life is like a wooded landscape in winter when the leaves are fallen. With the leaves gone, the outline of the hills is clearer, and the sight reaches farther.

Sing it again for us a splendid poet of our own Michigan "It takes a heap o' livin' to make a house a Home." How true this is! And No house can be a home with Jesus Christ its rightful Master on the outside of your door and mine, out in the night's dew and darkness seeking admission. But your house will be a home no matter how humble, if He who has brought immortality and life to light, belongs to your family circle.

HOSPITAL DANCE MAY 16TH

The plans for the dancing party to be given the Mercy Hospital Alumnae association, for the benefit of Mercy Hospital on May 16 are well under way. Wooley's Olympic Garden orchestra of Mt. Pleasant, that has been engaged to furnish the music, comes highly recommended, having played on various occasions at the Statler and Book-Cadillac hotels in Detroit.

The Officer's Club house at Lake Margrethe where the party will take place is an ideal place for such an affair.

Besides dancing there will be a musical program in charge of Mrs. C. G. Clippert, who always pleases her audiences, and there will also be a card room where those who wish may play their favorite game.

Tickets are now on sale quite a number of which have been sold. The prices are \$1.50 per couple, for extra lady or spectator, which does not include lunch.

Lunches consisting of sandwiches home-made fried cakes, cakes and coffee will be served during the evening.

Everybody is cordially invited to attend and you are assured of an evening of real enjoyment.

Michelson Memorial Church

John Wilfred Greenwood, Minister
May 6th, 1928

At 10:30 a.m. the pastor will speak on the theme "The Little Child in the Midst." Special music by the choir will feature this service.

At 7:30 p.m., the first Picture Lecture in the series entitled "Five Crises in the Life of Christ." The particular crisis to be considered will be "In the Wilderness, working out His Choice of a Life Vocation." For the next five Sunday evenings, the series will continue, and all are illustrated by pictures of the artist's conceptions of the various scenes under discussion.

Dr. Feltow, of one of the Detroit churches, has this to say: "Our people immensely instructed. The attendance more than doubled."

You will not miss any one of these six great picture talks, if you see the first.

Church Goes Classified

1. SOCIAL: Attend sociables, but too busy for worship.
2. SPASMODIC: Attend when they "feel like it," but do not control the feeling.
3. PERIODIC: Attend Christmas, Easter and festival days, but afraid of the habit.
4. OCCASIONAL: Attend when "nothing prevents," but easily satisfied with an excuse.
5. LOYAL: Allow no cause to keep them away that would not keep them from business.

MAKE GRAYLING GROW

The directors of the Grayling Mfg. Co., the new corporation now taking over the plant and business of the Grayling Dowel & Tie Plug Co., met at the Board of Trade rooms Monday evening to transact business. The directors authorized R. H. Gillett, General Manager, to purchase and install new machinery for making dowel pins from lumber and waste products. They also expect to make several other articles from wood and as fast as a market is found other products will be made.

This enterprise has passed the experimental stage and is on a sound foundation and, having orders on hand to keep running, it expects a good business as soon as machines are installed.

This is a home institution, formed and operated by Grayling business men, who have invested their capital in same. The operation can be seen at any time and is not like an outside concern from whom you get a beautiful certificate of stock but never know anything about, and the people of Grayling should stand behind it and boost.

This will result in more and larger industries coming to our town and taking the place of those that are gone. Boost, and invest in your own industries and MAKE GRAYLING GROW.

A number of "liberal" Americans have gone to Russia and then come back to tell us how fine it is over there. But you will notice that they always come back.



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C. W. OLSEN, Prop.
GRAYLING, MICH.

Your Home is Your Castle



It should be the happiest place in the world for you. It should be comfortable and pleasant.

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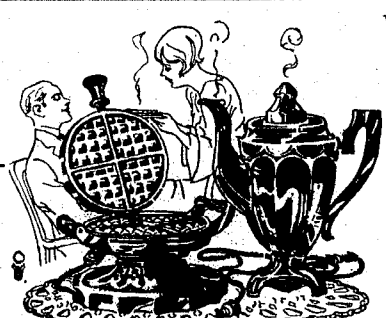
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Yours for better homes.

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1—Corinth ship canal which was closed as result of destructive earthquake in central Greece. 2 and 3—Prince Marie Jose of Belgium and Crown Prince Umberto of Italy, who are to be married on May 30 next. 4—Members of Children of the Revolution placing wreath on tomb of the Unknown Soldier of the Revolution in Washington.



Waffles Without Smoke

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THURSDAY, MAY 3, 1928

One of the relatives of Fay Murphy of Frederic, who was reported in this paper last week to have been one of the boys to break into cottages at Otsego Lake, takes exception to the article because it wasn't Otsego Lake where the cottages were located but at a small lake near Waters. Also says that Fay wasn't with the Short boy when he drank moonshine that caused the latter's death. She is right, we have no doubt, for it is learned that Fay was in school the day the boys had moonshine, and it is understood that it was Maynard Arnold instead. From what we have been able to learn Fay Murphy isn't a bad boy but seems to have had a start in that direction which, if continued, would probably lead him into serious difficulty. He already has, according to what our sheriff and his deputy at Frederic say he has admitted, enough to answer for. All three of these boys are but children, and, after careful reflection, we are sorry we even mentioned the matter in print. However they are still young and this should be a warning lesson to them that they cannot insult the peace and dignity of the people of the state and expect they are not going to be punished. Whether there were 15 suits or one suit among the plunder the boys stole, the offense is just as great. We hope the boys will understand this and will from now on realize that the respect of honest people is of far greater value than all the rewards that can possibly come from dishonesty and crookedness.

The old adage that "chickens come home to roost" still holds good, except that they don't come home as early at night as they used to.

Then there is another advantage in short hair. Since the women go to visiting the barber shops the barbers don't get to do all the talking.

We wouldn't think the laundry workers in Italy would be for Mussolini—just think of all those black shirts.

Piano Tuning

Will be in Grayling about

May 15th

to do tuning and repairing.
Please leave orders with

SORENSEN & SONS

M. A. Morford

Fresh shipment just in of Lamberts chocolates and Whitman's famous candies. Central Drug Store.

Miss Elizabeth Alexander left Wednesday for Ann Arbor to be gone during the summer months. The 6th of this month she expects to attend the 75th anniversary of the Baptist church at that place.

Mr. and Mrs. Adler Jorgenson and Miss Margrethe Jensen spent Saturday and Sunday in Detroit, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Benton Jorgenson and family.

Richly packed in purple and gold—the superior line of toilet requisites perfected by the laboratories of Parke, Davis & Co. at Detroit. Buy two items and get one free at Central Drug Store. Don't get left!

Mrs. Walter Griesbook of Cheboygan, who is a patient at Mercy hospital, enjoyed a visit from her sister Mrs. Brandon of Cheboygan over the week end, being a guest while here at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Trudeau Sr.

Miss Dorothy May spent the week end visiting relatives in Pinconning. Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Laurant of the Western Hotel, Big Rapids, motored here Saturday and spent the day visiting the former's father Mose Laurant and family.

The "happy medium" in dentrifices—that's what many people here in Grayling call Parke, Davis & Co.'s Tooth Paste. Not too mild, not too harsh. It really cleans your teeth. A big purple-and-gold tube, 50c. At Central Drug Store, of course.

Emerson Brown left Wednesday for Ypsilanti where he will visit for a few weeks before resuming his duties with the Ange Loran orchestra at Harbor Springs. He also will sing for one of the broadcasting stations. Listen in last of the week.

Pancake supper Monday, May 7 at 6:00 p. m. at Michelson Memorial church. Given by the young people of the Epworth League. There will be delicious pancakes with genuine maple syrup and sausages. Everybody invited. Prices 25 and 35 cents.

Miss Olga Nelson left Sunday for Grand Rapids to spend the week with her sisters, Misses Anna and Margrethe. She will return Saturday accompanied home by the latter who has been in Grand Rapids for the past three months receiving medical treatment owing to ill health. Soon after her return she will resume her duties as assistant bookkeeper at the Bank of Grayling.

Spring Ensemble



Forward and flat crepe makes the ideal spring ensemble. This model is in red and white foulard trimmed with a jabot of white flat crepe and worn with a red flat crepe coat, lined and trimmed. In the foreground.

Saves 165 Lives



Wilfred Whiting of London, England, with some of the medals he has received for saving the lives of his fellowmen. Whiting has saved 165 persons from drowning without assistance.

Man So Nervous Gets Sore When Spoken To

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TAKING TO WONDERING

By THOMAS ARKLE CLARK
Dean of Men, University of Illinois.

THE king was in a sad way, so the legend ran, as kings have often been, and are still today, if reports are to be believed. There was a great oak tree that grew against the palace wall that was so big and so thick in its branches that it shut out all the sunlight from the king's palace. The king had offered many, many dollars to anyone who would cut down the huge tree and let the sunlight into the great castle in which he lived, but no one had been able to do it, for as soon as ever one chip of the oak's trunk flew off under the stroke of the ax two more grew in its stead.

And this was not all. The king had dug a well which was to hold water for the whole year, but although all his neighbors had wells, when they came to sink a well for the king whose palace stood high above the valley, they had gone down only a few inches before they struck an impenetrable rock.

But the king had set his heart upon having the oak tree cut down, and up on having a well sunk that would furnish his household with abundant water, and to anyone who could accomplish these two things he agreed to give the lovely princess for a wife and half his kingdom. It was a prize well worth working for, for the kingdom was a noble one and the princess was beautiful beyond description.

It was Peter and Paul and Jack—three brothers—who set out in the hope of finding a way to cut down the tree and to dig the well.

It was Jack whose curiosity led him to wondering concerning a sound of chopping which he heard up the hill side as the three brothers were setting out toward the palace, and following the sound he came upon a magic ax chopping away at a great tree, and this he put into his pocket.

And this same curiosity discovered to him a spade that could penetrate the hardest rock, and a stream of water which flowed uninterruptedly as it was told to do. The older brothers mocked him for his curiosity but with the ax and the spade and the little stream he was able to fell the oak and to dig the well and to fill it to the brim. And so he won the wonderful princess for his bride and he came into possession of half the kingdom while his brothers had their share cut off and were sent to a desert island. And as the story ends, "Well, Jack wasn't so much out of his mind when he took to wondering."

There are a great many clever young people today—clever as Peter and Paul and Jack—and a good many of these clever ones are in college and would gladly find an easy way to dig wells or to cut down oak trees, but they lack interest, they have no curiosity, they are not possessed with this wondering state of mind which led Jack to find the ax and the spade, and the trickling stream.

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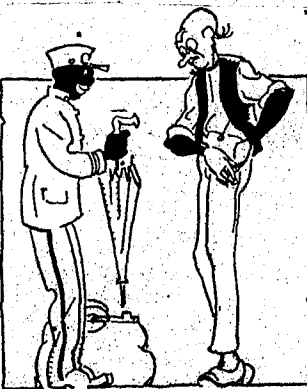
Sane Diet Vs. Vitamines

Chicago.—Well-balanced selection of foods is a surer means of supplying the body with health-giving vitamins than reliance on special foods supposed to contain these valuable properties, dietitians now assert. Our grandfathers never heard of vitamins, yet they were as sturdy physical specimens as the present generation. They ate foods which experience taught them were wholesome and nutritious. Countless ordinary foods contain vitamins which promote the growth of young children, the maintenance of health, and resistance to disease. These include green vegetables, tomatoes, egg yolk, liver, kidneys, and other glandular organs, vegetable oils, butterfat, carrots, peas, beans, spinach, fresh fruits, milk, nuts, potatoes, and legumes. Margarine, because it is largely made up of finest animal or vegetable oils and milk, is a valuable source of vitamins. Sane attention to diet, it is pointed out, will secure for the average person more than enough of his share of vitamins for satisfactory growth and health.

Beets Big Sugar Source

Chicago.—Beet sugar produced from beets grown on American farms is identical the same in sweetening power, dietetic value and chemical reaction as cane sugar. Beet sugar may be used for every household purpose in which cane sugar is employed. Exhaustive tests by leading home economists have proved that cakes and pastries, jams, jellies, and preserves made with beet sugar are equally as fine as those prepared with cane sugar. About one-sixth of all the sugar consumed in the United States annually comes from the nation's beet fields.

UNCLE HANK



What we need is a Lincoln to free our white slaves from the colored ball-hops.

Maybe we are getting cynical but it occurs to us that we see a lot more bowlegged women than we used to.

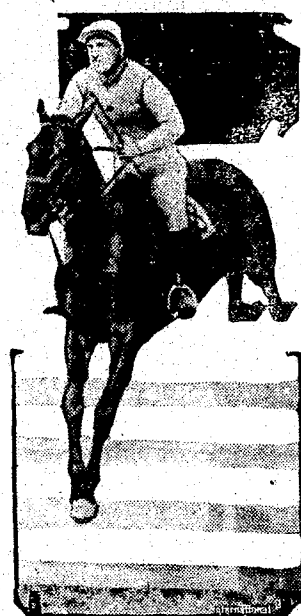


Spring Time for Beauty

Facials to aid in bringing out the beauties of your complexion. Scalp treatment and marcelling for your hair—all aids toward making you correctly groomed. Phone 9-L and make an appointment.

Minnie Daugherty
SHOPPENAGONS INN

Billy Barton Was Second



The photograph shows the American-owned jumper Billy Barton, which came in second to Tipperary Tim winner of the Grand National steeple chase held at Aintree, England. Tim the winner, was quoted at 100 to 1.

MICKIE SAYS—

A SMART BUSINESS MAN DON'T ARGUE WITH THE PRINTER ABOUT PRICES, BECAUSE IF THE PRINTER GETS WEAK-MINDED ENOUGH TO QUOTE A CHEAP PRICE, HE WILL MOST PROBABLY DO THAT KIND OF A JOB!



CHARLES QUINN

FIRE KILLS BORER

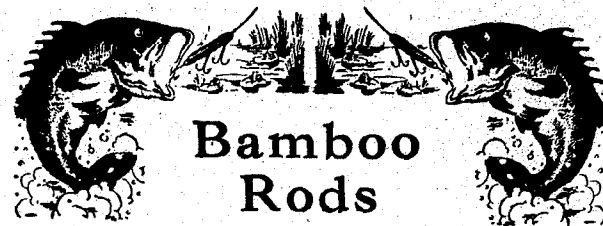


Heat is one of the few weaknesses of the corn borer which Michigan and Federal entomologists have been able to discover. If raked into windrows and allowed to dry, cornstalks and stubble burn readily, and the borers in them are cremated.

NOTICE

The annual meeting of the Board of Review of the Village of Grayling will be held in the Town Hall on Wednesday and Thursday, May 16 and 17, 1928, from 9 o'clock a. m. to 4 o'clock p. m. on each of said days, to review the Tax Roll.

James W. Sorenson
ASSESSOR



We have them in all Grades

See our Heddon Rods especially. Trout or Bass.

All made of the finest brown-tone split bamboo. "Tempered" too, by the Heddon process to give extra strength and accuracy. They are rods to be proud of.

New Tackle of All Kinds

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Milk forms the large part of the family diet, especially where there are children.

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Let us deliver milk to your home daily—pure, fresh and rich. And also we can supply the family needs in cream (coffee and whipping), delicious creamery butter and strictly fresh eggs. Our ICE CREAM is excellent and finds ready favor for deserts and for refreshments.

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OPPORTUNITY
COLUMN

FOR SALE—Baby Buggy in good condition. Phone 7L.

FOR SALE—My home on the corner of Lake and McClellan streets on U. S. 27. Write or see Ralph Hanna, Grayling. 4-26-4

EPILEPTICS—An improved treatment that stops spells at once. Money back guarantee. Price reduced. Information free. All names and correspondence confidential. Maghee Chemical Corp. Lander, Wyo. 4-26-4

KURTON HOTEL BUILDING FOR sale or rent. Fine opportunity for anyone. Inquire or write Rasmus Rasmusson.

BABY CHICKS—Our Bred-To-Lay Barred Rocks lay and pay; three successive years Michigan State Accredited. Special May price, Rocks and Reds, \$12.00 per 100, postpaid. Order now, or write for literature. Howe's Accredited Hatchery, Essexville, Mich. 4-19-3

HOLSTEIN BULL FOR SERVICE—Jens Ellerson, near cemetery Grayling. 4-19-3

FOR SALE—PURE BRED DUROC pigs at my farm, 4 miles east of Fredonia. C. C. Fink.

FURNITURE REPAIRING AND upholstering, and general repairing in all lines of wood or metal work, chair caning and electrical repairing. J. G. Leverton, DuClos house, Norway street.

DRY OAK WOOD FOR SALE. 2-23-4f Chris R. King.



Visit our fountain for delicious refreshing Orangeade or Lemonade.

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DANCING! Spring Season

At Johnson's Rustic Dance Palace

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Every Saturday and Sunday Night

BEGINNING SATURDAY, MAY 5th

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Admission Free

Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES
OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO.

Thursday, April 13, 1905

Clean out your yards and alleys and streets. Spring is here. Miss Ragan, sister of Mrs. Insley, is an agreeable visitor in town. Mrs. Amos is able to get out again after an illness of several weeks.

Miss Bertha Woodburn left Saturday to begin her school in Roscommon county.

Mrs. C. H. O'Neil and Miss Laura Lewis of Frederic were callers in town last Monday.

Miss Ethel Hoyt began her second term of school in the Horton district in Frederic, last week.

H. C. Holbrook and C. F. Stewart, with their wives, left for the new home at Vassar yesterday.

Don't forget to say a good word for Grayling and Crawford county wherever you go. Keep the ball rolling.

The township board appointed Dr. W. M. Woodworth health officer for the ensuing year at their meeting last Monday.

John Rasmussen has sold the old Grayling house corner of N. Michigan and the lots south of Burgess' saloon to E. Hanson.

Mrs. Kate Winnie, nee Miss Kate Woodfield, has moved back from Lake Nebagamon, Wis., to Michigan and is now a resident of Houghton.

Word is received from the University that Thomas Wakeley was operated upon April 1 and is doing finely, so that he expects to be home this week.

A ten-pound baby came to live with Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Westcott, April 7, and the doctor is as happy as he can be, thinking he will soon have help in the office.

Messrs. Walter Sloan and Charles O'Brien of West Bay City have accepted positions in town and will give our ball team the benefit of their services as pitcher and catcher.

Supervisor J. J. Collen is moving out to his place at the lake this week. The ice is pretty well out, but enough remains to insure a cool breeze, and that is a virtue in a summer resort.

Mr. and Mrs. Dell Hinkley, who spent the winter in the southern part of the state, are home again, greatly pleased with their visit, but glad to be back again in the best town in

Michigan.

Mr. Fred McKay of St. Ignace stopped here last week on his return from Cleveland, where he had been to buy some horses, for a visit with his mother and Mrs. Dr. Leighton, his sister.

Miss Nellie P. Blair of Litchfield, Mich., who has been with her cousin, Mrs. S. S. Claggett of Johannesburg, for the winter, was the guest of her god-mother and namesake, Mrs. O. Palmer, the first of the week, returning to her home yesterday.

Thorwald Peterson and Mrs. Olive Wilder were married at the Methodist parsonage on Monday evening, April 10, at 8:30. Rev. H. A. Sheldon officiating. Mr. Peterson is a well-known and popular member of the band, playing the solo horn.

David Flagg has his new forge and tools in his repair shop on Peninsula avenue and is about ready for business.

Thursday, April 20, 1905

Miss Laura Nelson has returned to the Ferris Institute to complete her course.

Mrs. Chas. Trombley left Tuesday for a two weeks visit in Bay City and Grand Rapids.

Miss Anne Olson entertained four-teen young ladies, last Saturday evening, in honor of her birthday.

Grayling is always well represented at the Ferris school at Big Rapids. Miss Minnie Nelson is the latest addition from here.

Peter E. Brown came home with his equipment yesterday from Chas. Silsby's in Beaver Creek, whence he has been moving some buildings the past week.

Rev. H. A. Sheldon went to Higgins Lake, Tuesday, for the purpose of uniting in matrimony Mr. Henry Heiderman and Miss Martha Strubel. Mrs. Sheldon and Miss Olive enjoyed the ride with him.

M. Hanson and G. L. Alexander will unite in erecting a fine two story brick block on the site of their present offices this spring. The plans are nearly completed and work will begin at once. It will be occupied by the bank and Mr. Alexander's law offices on the first floor, and the offices of the new hardware flooring factory and a suite of rooms for Superintendent Kerry of the upper floor.

BE A ROOSTER

If you think your town the best, Tell 'em so!

If you'd have it lead the rest, Make it grow!

When there's anything to do, Let them always count on you.

You'll feel good when it is thru, Don't you know?

If you're used to giving knocks, Change your style!

Throw some flowers instead of rocks For awhile.

Boost your town, it should be first. Knock the knocker off his perch.

Lift the grumbler from his lurch— With a smile!

When a stranger from afar Comes along,

Tell him who and what you are— Make it strong.

Be a booster, that's the stuff, Never falter, never bluff.

Tell the truth, for that's enough. Pass it on.

BIGGER TOURIST SEASON IS PREDICTED

(By E. M. T. Service)

Inquiries being received from prospective tourists by the East Michigan Tourist association indicates one of the biggest seasons in history, according to officers of the East Michigan Tourist association. The inquiries this year came earlier and in larger numbers than in any previous year.

One of the reasons for this, it is presumed, is that East Michigan is better advertised than ever before. The publicity given winter sports in East Michigan is also having an effect in keeping attention focused on East Michigan all the year round and it is only a question of a little while, officials say, when East Michigan will interest thousands of residents of other states for the twelve months in the year.

NEW EAST MICHIGAN HOTEL

(By E. M. T. Service)

One of the newest hostalries in East Michigan is the Tavern Hotel of Flint. It is also Flint's newest hotel. The hotel maintains 200 rooms and is decorated throughout in the old English tavern style. Mr. Frank W. Kay, the director, who is in active charge is an experienced hotel man and enjoys wide popularity throughout the middle West.

CORRECT NAMES OF STATES AND THEIR MEANINGS

Alabama, Indian, "here we rest." Arizona, Aztec, "silver bearing." Arkansas, "Kanana," the Indian name for "smoky water," with the French prefix "arc" bow or bend in the principal river.

California, allente Fornalia, Spanish for "hot furnace" in allusion to the climate.

Colorado, Spanish, meaning "colored," from the red color of the Colorado River.

Connecticut, Indian, "long river." Delaware, named in honor of Lord Delaware.

Florida, named by Ponce de Leon who discovered it in 1512, on Easter Day, the Spanish Pascua de Flores, or "Feast of Flowers."

Georgia, in honor of George II of England.

Idaho, Indian, meaning unknown.

Illinois, from the Indian "Illini," men and the French suffix "ois," together signifying "tribe of men."

Indiana, Indian land.

Iowa, Indian, "beautiful land."

Kansas, Indian, "smoky water."

Kentucky, Indian, for "at the head of the river;" or "the dark and bloody ground."

Louisiana, for Louis XIV of France.

Maine, from the province of Maine, in France.

Maryland, for Henrietta Maria, queen of Charles I of England.

Massachusetts, place of great hills (blue hills south of Boston).

Michigan, the Indian name for a fish weir. The lake was so called from the fancied resemblance of the lake to a fish trap.

Minnesota, Indian, meaning "sky-tinted water."

Mississippi, Indian, meaning "great father of waters."

Missouri, Indian, meaning "muddy."

Montana, Latin, "mountainous region."

Nebraska, Indian, meaning "water valley."

Nevada, Spanish, meaning "snow covered," alluding to mountains.

New Hampshire, from Hampshire county, England.

New Jersey, in honor of Sir George Carteret, one of the original grantees who had previously been governor of Jersey Island.

New Mexico, from old Mexico.

New York, in honor of the Duke of York.

North and South Carolina, originally called Carolina, in honor of Charles IX of France.

North and South Dakota, Sioux Indian, "Lakota," "Nakota," or "Dakota," "allies."

Ohio, Indian, "beautiful river."

Oklahoma, Indian, "red people."

Oregon, from the Spanish "orcano," wild marmoset, which grows abundantly on the coast.

Pennsylvania, Latin, meaning "Penn's woody land."

Rhode Island, from a fancied resemblance to the island of Rhodes in the Mediterranean.

Tennessee, Indian, meaning "a river with a great bend."

Texas, origin of this name is unknown.

Utah, Ute Indian, meaning unknown.

Vermont, French, green mountain.

Virginia, in honor of Elizabeth, the "Virgin Queen."

Washington, from George Washington.

West Virginia, former western part of Virginia.

Wisconsin, Indian, "gathering of the waters," or "wild rushing channel."

Wyoming, Indian, "large plains."

A Massachusetts man is raising 450 chickens in the ball room of his country estate. Well, chickens generally are pretty well contented in a ball room.

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Everyone cordially invited
SUNDAY SCHOOL 10:00 O'CLOCK
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MUST BE HIS WIFE

"What were all those men looking at me for; did you see anything funny?"

"Didn't notice anything funny, dear; I wasn't looking at you."

PIANO SCALE WEIGHT

"She has little weight as a musician."

"Yet she pounds the piano with every ounce of her strength."

TOUGH LUCK

"He was so adorable. We got out about five miles and the car broke down."

"Gee! You were lucky."

"No, he turned out to be an auto mechanic and the stupid boy fixed the thing right up."

ALREADY JOINED

He—Ah! This weather makes me sentimental! May I join you?

She—No, thanks! I'm already joined.

NATURALLY

Polka dots are in vogue again. Paris takes this printed fabric and uses it to fashion trim and line the very newest of this season's clothes.

An interesting treatment of the polka dot silk is shown in this frock of black chiffon which Dorothy Sebastian wears in "Dancing Girls."

Tiers on the skirt and the intriguing sleeves are fashioned of the polka dot taffeta, which is dotted with yellow, green and red.

Black satin slippers and a black felt toque complete the costume.

REAR ADMIRAL BOOSTS EAST MICHIGAN

(By E. M. T. Service)

Rear Admiral James J. Raby, the United States Navy's only flying admiral, a native of Bay City, in an address at Bay City April 24, declared that East Michigan is one of the most wonderful recreational centers of the country and he urged that further attention be given to the development of the section for the attraction of tourists and resorters. He accented the desirability of flying fields as part of this development by towns, cities, villages and resorts. Visitors are coming by airplane more and more in the future, he said, and the town which is prepared to receive these visitors is going to profit thereby.

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A TOE DANCER

"What kind of a dancer is not?"

"A toe dancer—judging from my mashed toes."

COURAGE

F. THOMAS ARKLE CLARK
Dean of Mass. University at
Illinois.

"NOW be a brave boy," mother used to say to me when, in sending me to bed alone to the awful dark rooms above, she saw that my heart beat a little faster and that fear of something unexpected and unknown

gripped me. "There's nothing up there to hurt you." And I went, not realizing that in going and facing the danger that I feared, I was not a coward, but that I had courage, for courage consists in facing danger or supposed danger that you fear. Aristotle, one of the wisest men in the world, has said so.

"Courage," he tells us, "is not fearlessness, but the recognition of danger and the power of self-control in spite of fear."

The man who faces danger without fear is not courageous; he is foolhardy; his judgment is faulty.

After the marines had made their courageous attack at Belleau woods I had a long letter from Martin telling me all about it, though I had before seen an account in the newspapers of what happened.

"If anyone who was in the awful carnage tells you that he had no fear," Martin wrote, "don't believe him, for he is either not human or a liar. Every man knew when he went into the attack that he faced death, or, if not death, a torn, mangled body to be carried through a life that might be worse than death. As for myself, I was white and trembling for a time, and then my heart began beating like a triphammer, but, terrified as we were, we went on, and you know the result."

Here was courage of the highest order—not fearlessness but the recognition of awful danger, and the power to go on and meet it.

There was a fire in one of the apartment houses in town not long ago. Three little children were alone in one of the rooms, helpless and stupefied by the smoke. Their case seemed hopeless when one of the young firemen forced his way through the flames and smoke and brought them out and down in safety. He realized his danger more even than the crowd did who stood at a safe distance and applauded his action. He had a family of his own at home, and he must have thought of his little boy and girl and the possibility of their being hurt, less if he risked his life. Do you think he was not afraid? He could not have been otherwise, but he had courage in spite of fear.

Moral courage is not unlike physical courage. There is a gambling game going on in the dormitory in which Blake lives, with drinking and salacious talk.

"Come on, boy," one of the fellows says to Blake, "and sit in with us."

He will be laughed at if he says no, and Blake, like most young boys, is sensitive to ridicule. He fears the jibes and the jokes of his companions. They cut him like whiplashes, but he has the courage to say no, and it does take courage in such instances.

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Place of business, Roscommon, Michigan.

To Addison Reynolds last grantee in the regular chain title of such lands or of any interest therein as appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County.

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J. E. BOBENMOYER,
Sheriff of said County.

Dated April 5, 1928.

My fees \$85. 4-12-4

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In the United States our prominent politicians are party leaders. Over in France and Germany and other European nations they are bloc heads.

STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Grayling in said county, on the sixteenth day of April A. D. 1928.

Present: Hon. George Sorenson, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John H. Hartman, deceased.

Fred H. Hartman, a son of said deceased having filed in said court his petition praying that the administration and settlement of said estate be granted to Russell A. Stevens or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered that the fourteenth day of May A. D. 1928, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition;

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once each week for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

GEORGE SORENSON,
Judge of Probate.

A true copy
GEORGE SORENSON,
Judge of Probate. 4-19-3

60 PER CENT OF
WORLD'S PEOPLE
EAT NO BUTTER

American Table Delicacy
Unknown to More Than
Billion in Other Nations.

Chicago—Sixty per cent of the population of the earth, or 1,032,000,000 people, do not use butter and a considerable per cent have never heard of it.

This doubtless will astonish persons unfamiliar with the history of foods and accustomed to butter on the home table since infancy. Similar popular myths prevail regarding the length of time coffee, tea, and tobacco have been numbered among civilized luxuries. The addition of European people and their descendants on this side of the Atlantic to these pleasant stimulants dates back only a few hundred years. All the conquests and great exploits of the ancient and medieval world were achieved without them.

Butter as a spread for bread is used only in a comparatively small area of the earth, chiefly in northern Europe and America. In other parts of the world, olive oil, tallow drippings and coconut oil take the place of butter in cooking and as a table dish. In China, Japan, India and other nations of southeastern Asia, where rice is the staple food, no butter is used and various fats and oils are added to the cereal to give it flavor and nutritive value.

Margarine has been an established article of diet in Europe and America since the reign of Napoleon III in France when Hippolyte Mege-Mouries developed the method of manufacturing it. It was at first considered a substitute for butter but now in several European countries butter is a substitute for margarine. In Denmark, notably, one of the leading dairying countries of Europe, it is almost a universal custom among the farmers to export their butter to England and use margarine on their family tables.

No prejudice exists in Europe against margarine and the inimical sentiment against it which developed a decade or so ago in America and which, from an economic view is difficult to understand, is gradually disappearing. Margarine is a wholesome food made under thoroughly sanitary conditions and government inspection. It is made only from the finest oils, vegetable or animal or both combined, milk, and salt and its manufacture is a source of immense profit to American farmers. As far as taste goes, it is difficult for even a connoisseur to distinguish between the best quality of margarine and the best quality of butter. As a spread for bread, both butter and margarine are considered by dietitians merely as delicacies or what are known technically as accessories to foods.

"Given an ordinary, every-day reasonably well-balanced diet for the average man, or child," says Dr. William D. Richardson, internationally famous scientist and dietitian, "it does not make any difference from the dietary standpoint whether the individual eats margarine or butter and the one he chooses is entirely a matter of taste, preference, or economy. He may choose to eat one or the other or neither without any appreciable influence on his growth, health, strength or physical or mental energy. His diet usually is, and should be, so balanced and varied that he is not dependent on the small quantity of fat which is spread on bread to make it palatable."

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AGRICULTURAL NOTES



RICH PROFITS IN BEETS ON FARMS

Crop Made Into Sugar Nets Growers of United States \$55,000,000 Last Year.

Chicago. — One hundred thousand farmers in the United States are engaged regularly in growing sugar beets to satisfy the nation's sweet tooth, according to a bulletin issued here by the U. S. Beet Sugar association.

"More than \$55,000,000 was paid to farmers for their sugar beets in 1932," says the bulletin. "Approximately 800,000 acres of land were devoted to sugar-beet culture in 19 states, while there are 102 beet sugar factories in the United States in which \$280,000,000 in capital is invested. Production of be. sugar amounted to 1,070,000 tons for the year."

"Sugar beets are one of the most profitable of American crops and the farmers growing them are, in effect, partners in the beet sugar industry. The beet sugar industry must establish its plants in farming communities; since it is essentially an agricultural industry depending on the farm for its product and because sugar beets cannot be shipped great distances without deterioration. The factory not only furnishes a cash market close to the door of the farm, but gives employment to farmers, farm laborers and mechanics living near by. It increases the business of the railroads, and the small town banks and merchants."

"Raising sugar beets improves the soil and increases the yield of succeeding crops. The extensive root system of the plant opens and aerates the ground, enabling it to retain and utilize a greater supply of air and water. The roots frequently descend into the soil to a depth of seven or eight feet. The small roots remain in the ground after the beet is pulled and contribute valuable fertility in the process of decay."

"Beets are an important factor in crop rotation. Results in scientific crop rotation with beets as the pivot have demonstrated that the productivity of the soil in yielding crops can be increased from 50 to 80 per cent."

"By-products, including beet tops, beet pulp and molasses, have developed an extensive sheep and cattle fattening industry in the neighborhood of the beet sugar factories. In localities where beet pulp was used as a feed for steers in 1927, an investigation showed that while pulp made up 82 per cent of a combination ration, its actual price amounted to only 37 per cent of the total cost."

"Not every farming area in the United States may grow sugar beets. But the present sugar beet producing areas might be greatly expanded if farmers were assured adequate tariff protection, insuring them against the invasion of foreign sugar produced under cheap labor conditions and living standards with which they cannot compete."

Only Clean Plowing Kills Corn Borers

East Lansing, May 1st.—Plowing to control the European corn borer must be done so cleanly that no corn-crop remnants will remain on the surface for the pest to find

refuge in, Michigan State College entomologists state.

Plowing itself does not kill all of the corn borers in a corn field, the entomologists explain. Many of the borers come to the surface again after being plowed under in order to complete their life cycle. If there are no pieces of corn stalks or trash for them to crawl into, the borers soon die from exposure or are devoured by birds and other insects.

Tests performed by Ontario entomologists over a period of years have shown that clean plowing is an effective means of controlling the corn borer. In conducting these tests, an area 40 ft. long and 10 ft. wide has been used, and as many as 5,000 borers in stalks and stubble have been turned under. When the moths were about to emerge, cage was put over the plot. Not more than four corn-borer moths have been recovered in any one season.

Cleanliness and thoroughness in plowing operations are needed to control the borer in this manner, the entomologists state. Plowing must be done so that the stubble lies flat in the furrow and so that all trash is buried at least two inches deep. The use of wide-bottom plows is recommended.

Fall plowing Pays Soil Fitting Cost

East Lansing, May 1st.—Farmers who fall-plowed their land last year can get an increased tonnage of sugar beets, which will pay the costs of fitting the soil, according to statements by the farm crops department at Michigan State College.

Experimental work at the College has shown that fall-plowed land produces from one to one and a half tons per acre more than similar soil plowed in the spring. Beets are grown under contract, and a fair price is assured the grower for the tonnage which he produces. Specialists at the College say that the beet labor situation is improved this year. A better class of labor than usual is available, and farmers in the beet areas are finding that the beet workers help out in haying, silo filling, and threshing.

Weather conditions at beet harvest time have been bad for the past two years, but, as beets are one crop which has a sale price that is known in advance of harvest time, it is expected that Michigan farmers will plant a normal acreage of beets.

M. S. C. To Stage First Chick Show

East Lansing, May 1st.—The first baby chick show ever held in the state, and the second one to be held in the United States, will be staged at M. S. C. May 9 and 10 under the supervision of the college poultry department. More than 200 entries are expected.

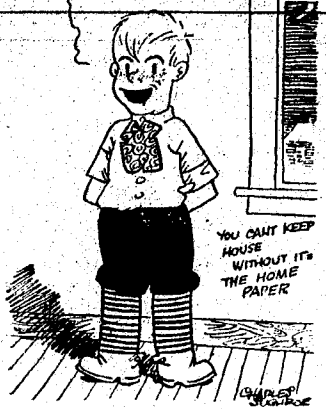
All hatcherymen and breeders are invited to enter 25 chicks of any recognized variety. Each exhibitor will be limited to two entries in any one breed. The entries will be shown in chick boxes with glass tops. Reese V. Hicks, managing director of the International Baby Chick Association, of Kansas City, Missouri, will be the judge. Judging will be done on the basis of uniformity of size and color. Freedom from deformities and weight will be important factors. There will be no standard disqualifications.

There will be prizes for the first 10 places and a sweepstakes prize for each breed in addition to the sweepstakes cup for the best entry in the show. This trophy is to be donated by the Michigan State Poultry Improvement Association.

The chicks will be sold at auction on the last day of the show, offering an opportunity for local buyers to obtain excellent breeding stock.

MICKIE SAYS—

FRIENDS, I AM IN YOUR MIDST THIS TIME ON A DELICATE MISSION—MAYBE YOU'VE GUESSED WHAT IT IS. WELL, I SAY IT HAS TO DO WITH MY SUBSCRIPTION. SO I AM GOING TO WATCH THE RECEIPTS AND SEE IF I MADE MYSELF UNDERSTOOD—THANKS, FOLKS.



We don't know much about Italian politics but we judge that Mussolini may be slipping a little. We noticed in the papers the other day that he has been writing some poetry.

TO THE OWNER OR OWNERS OF ANY AND ALL INTERESTS IN OR LIENS UPON THE LANDS HEREIN DESCRIBED:

Take notice that sale has been lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes thereon, and that the undersigned has title thereto under tax deed or deeds issued therefor, and that you are entitled to a conveyance thereof at any time within six months after return of service of this notice upon payment to the undersigned or to the Register in Chancery of the County in which the land lie, of all sums paid upon such purchase together with one hundred per centum additional thereto, and the fees of the Sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice, to be computed as upon personal service of a declaration as commencement of suit, and the further sum of five dollars for each description, without other additional cost or charges. If payment as aforesaid is not made, the undersigned will institute Proceedings for possession of the land.

Description of Land: STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Crawford,

The North half of the Southwest quarter of sec. 26, town 26N, range 1W. Amount paid \$7.25 tax for year 1921. Amount paid \$9.61, tax for year 1922. Amount paid \$7.54, tax for year 1923.

Amount necessary to redeem \$53.80 plus the fees of the sheriff. Henry A. Bauman, Place of business Grayling, Michigan. To Daniel W. Chase and Addie E. Reardon, last grantees in the regular chain title of such lands or of any interest therein as appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County. 4-12-4

MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Enus Anderson, single, to Constance Johnson, dated the 11 day of July A. D. 1922, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the county of Crawford and State of Michigan, on the 11 day of July A. D. 1922 in Liber H of mortgages, on page 356 on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, for principal and interest, the sum of eight hundred twenty-four and twenty-nine hundredths dollars, and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, on Saturday the 2 day of June, A. D. 1928, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, the undersigned will, at the front door of the courthouse in the Village of Grayling that being the place where the Circuit Court for the county of Crawford is held, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount so as aforesaid due on said mortgage, with six per cent interest, and all legal costs, together with statutory attorney fees to wit: the east half of the southwest quarter of section 2, town 26N, range 4W. CONSTANCE JOHNSON, Mortgagee.

Merle F. Nellist, Attorney for mortgagee, Grayling, Michigan 3-8-13



Will make the skin clear, smooth and white and preserve it from the action of drying winds or cold and bright sunlight. Quickly soothes and relieves chapped lips and all skin eruptions. ALCOHOL 15% For gentlemen shaving it will be found superior to alcohol. Toilet waters. PREPARED IN THE LABORATORY OF Hazeltine & Perkins Drug Co. Grand Rapids, Michigan. Sold by MAC & GIDLEY DRUGGIST

NEW YORK LETTER

A thrilling and heroic rescue was made by Patrolman Sleavin of the New York police recently. The two lower floors of a three-story house were a mass of flames when Sleavin arrived. Learning that there was somebody in the third floor room, he, with three other men, reached the roof from an adjoining building. Holding Sleavin by the heels, the three men lowered him to a third floor window, through which the patrolman climbed. He found John Brice sleeping in the room and hoisted him out of the window, when the three men on the roof pulled him up. Sleavin then swung himself up to the roof, thus accomplishing a rescue that caused many a thrill to the on-lookers.

The recent death of Rodman Wana-maker, son of the late John Wana-maker, the great merchant, attracted attention to the injunction inscribed on the capstone of the Wana-maker Building:

"Let those who follow me continue to build with the plumb of honor, the level of truth, and the square of integrity, education, courtesy and mutual aid."

A simple and beautiful injunction which, if universally practiced, would solve most human problems. An unusual and lovable character passed away in Greenwich Village, New York, recently. He was John S. Matthews, who for twenty years maintained a butcher shop in the district of struggling poets and artists. Many are the tales of John's generosity, and his little home was crowded with recipients of his bounty who wanted to honor the memory of their departed friend. It was told how when some of his hard-up artist customers showed reluctance to receive his generosity, John would pull a roll of bills from his pocket and reassure them by saying: "Money? I don't need money."

At a recent rehearsal of "The Three Musketeers," the latest Broadway success, a black cat crossed the stage in front of Florenz Ziegfeld, the well known theatrical producer. Ziegfeld, who is not at all superstitious, exclaimed: "Heavens, here I am opening on the 13th, and now a black cat crosses me. But I should worry. This show is in the bag." From present indications Ziegfeld has nothing to worry about.

John J. Raskob, chairman of the finance committee of General Motors Corporation, recently was quoted as predicting that the time was coming when every workman would have a two days' holiday each week. Mr. Raskob said: "Electricity, coupled with the great inventive skill of man, will eventually bring this about."

Four years ago Mr. Raskob organized the Managers' Security Company composed of eighty executives and managers of General Motors. In accordance with Raskob's advice, they bought \$33,000,000 worth of General Motors stock. This stock is now worth \$250,000,000, and all of the eighty executives are millionaires.

George Kern, Jr., a wealthy young New Yorker, has returned from Germany and announced that he had picked up three tiny "air taxis" in that country. Kern, with a companion, toured Europe in one of the tiny planes. The average cost of flying the plane during two months of air travel was three cents a mile, but Kern expects that with the lower cost of gasoline here, he can fly at a cost of about one cent a mile. The machine does fifty miles to a gallon of gas. It looks as though in another generation airplanes will be used as generally as automobiles are now.

Kardonick Phillips, Mayor of Deland, Fla., gave a nine-course dinner to 1,500 unemployed a few days since by the way of celebrating his fiftieth birthday. This unusual dinner was embellished with orchestral music and a speech by "His Honor." The good things he so generously provided were thoroughly enjoyed by his numerous guests.

A wealthy play producer, returning from Europe recently, engaged in a game of poker with some "genial" companions on an ocean liner. In the course of the game the theatrical man's pile was "accidentally" knocked over on to the floor. While stooping to pick them up a "cold deck" was run in on the unsuspecting producer, with the result that before the game was concluded he had "dropped" five thousand. The tricks of the card sharp are many and devious.

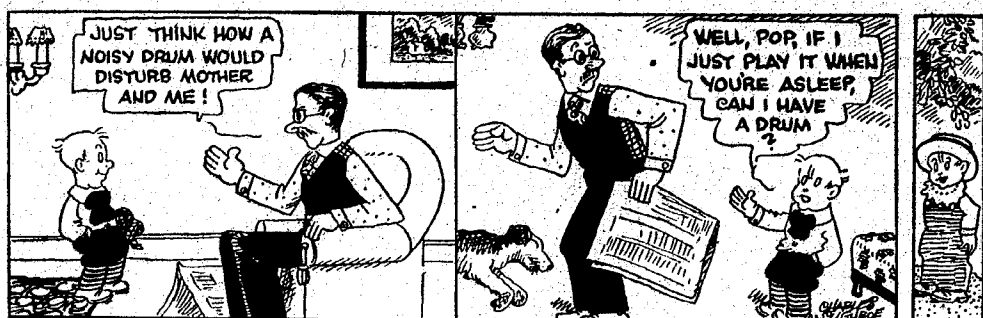
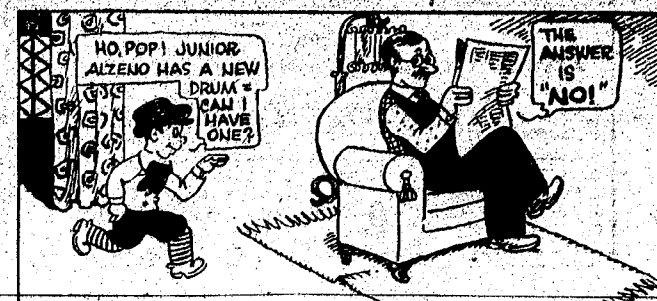
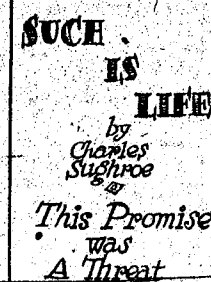
Cigar smoking by women is a growing habit among London clubwomen, and the members, who limit their smoking to cigarettes are shocked thereat, while those with staid Victorian ideas condemn both. The feminine devotees of the cigarette insist upon their right to enjoy the solace of tobacco in their own way, but refuse to extend the same right to those who prefer cigars. Not exactly a model of consistency.

GOT LEFT IN THE RUSH



"Ruth is engaged to be married." "The mischief she is! I intended to propose to that girl myself when I got home."

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DIPPING INTO SCIENCE

A very plausible theory regarding the activity of volcanoes is that the water of the ocean enters an opening in the earth caused by an earthquake, forms gas or steam under great pressure, and finds its outlet through the crater of the volcano which seldom lies far from the sea.

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FREDERIC FLASHES

Four boys from this town have gone to sail the Great Lakes; Earl Barber, Chester Burke, Lloyd Welch and Francis Hunter.

Mrs. Ernest Richard is helping at the Watershed ranch.

Mrs. Earl has returned from Caro, Mrs. Glen Wilcox was calling on Grayling friends last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Crosby, of Bay City have rooms at Mrs. Geo. Ensigns for the fishing season.

The friends of Miss Gladys Crandall will be grieved to learn of her serious illness, she having been in Bay City Hospital afflicted with ap-

pendix trouble.

Mrs. John Burke is in Grayling hospital. Miss Elsie came home from Saginaw this Monday morning.

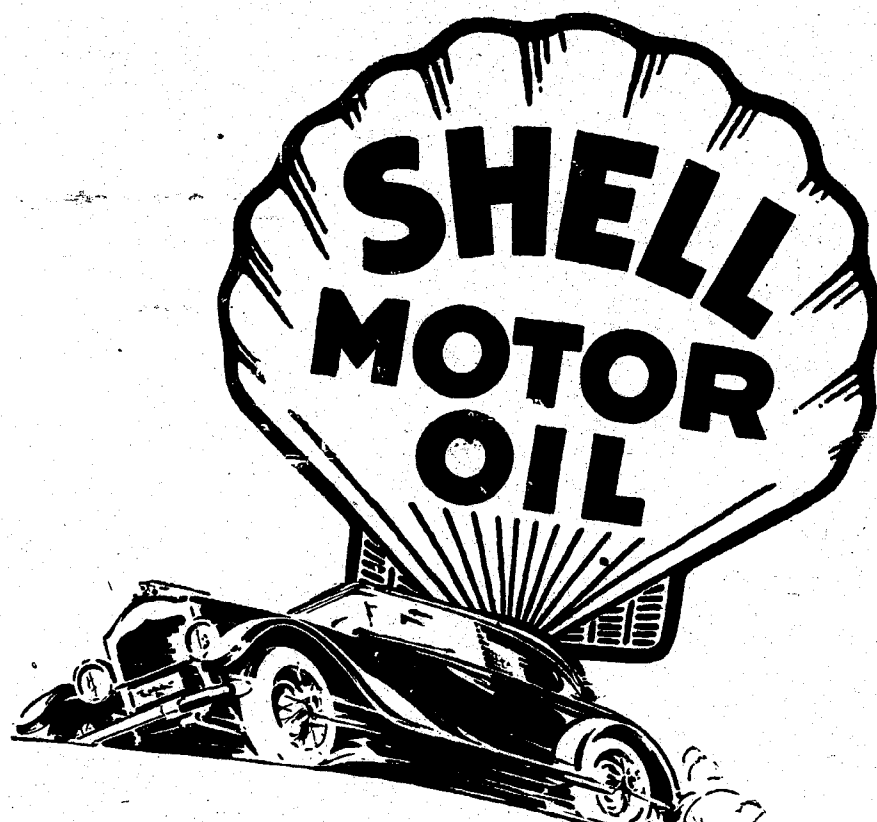
Mrs. Geo. Horton has gone to Pontiac to take care of her daughter who is very ill.

Rev. Plum of Birch Run and Donald Chambers of West Branch Sunday School organizer, were callers on Rev. Earl last Monday.

Ed. McCracken is at home nursing a bad eye caused by coming in contact with a piece of wood.

Some excitement last Saturday morning when the sheriff and some state men visited our burg.

Read the Avalanche and get all the home news. It may not save your life but it will save you money



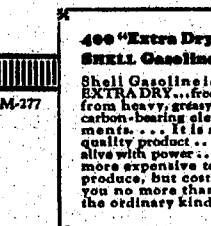
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Gone are the days when motorists were content to jog along at a moderate pace. Now, fine highways—white ribbons of concrete linking town to town—present an irresistible temptation to step on the gas and send the speedometer flying up.

Shell Motor Oil is competent to meet the strenuous demands of modern driving. Made from crude oils selected for their rich lubricating qualities—to specifications which provide an ample safety factor—by an improved process which avoids the destructive action of extreme heat—this oil has been scientifically refined to have just the right viscosity (body). It is thin enough to lubricate every whirling metal surface—thick enough to stand the gaff.

Shell Motor Oil—logical running mate for Shell Gasoline—is available at all Shell yellow-red service stations and Shell dealers in the correct grade for your car.

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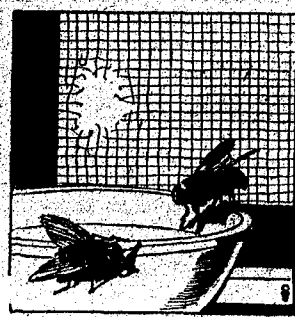


Change to SHELL

"Sweetest Job" in United States Held by Mary Virginia Bromberg



Washington, D. C.—Miss Mary Virginia Bromberg has the sweetest job in America. She has been made secretary of the newly formed Domestic Sugar Producers Association with headquarters here, which represents a combined yearly output of 2,350,000 tons of cane and beet sugar. She is the only woman executive in the organization which is composed of the U. S. Beet Sugar Association, American Sugar Cane League of Louisiana, Hawaiian Sugar Planters Association, and Association of Sugar Producers of Porto Rico. This country is producing about 1,000,000 tons of beet sugar annually which returns American farmers \$55,000,000 for their beet crop.



Fly Time IS Screen Time

The best way to be rid of flies this summer is to keep them out before they have a chance to get in and ruin things.

Screen Now, and be fly free this season

Hanson Hardware Co.

PHONE 21

LOCAL NEWS

THURSDAY, MAY 3, 1928

Leo Schram of Owosso is visiting his parents for a few days.

Mrs. George Lund of Cheboygan is a patient at Mercy hospital.

Mrs. Marius Hanson is confined to her home with a case of tonsillitis.

Mother's Day is May 13th. Remember the best friend you ever had with a nice box of candy.

Take your prescriptions to the Central Drug Store.

Gen. Guy M. Wilson of Flint, is spending a few days at Recreation Club on the Au Sable.

If you want a real bargain on a slightly damaged kodak see us.

Sorenson Bros.

Miss Lucille Hanson returned from Detroit today, where she has been visiting friends the past couple of weeks.

Col. LeRoy Pearson and other army officers of the Michigan National Guard, of Lansing, were in Grayling this week looking over the Military Camp.

Wm. Moshier of the Grayling Cement Products Co. reports that it looks like a busy year for them. Many building improvements are looked for this summer.

Curtis Leese of Detroit, visited friends here Sunday.

Albert Lewis of Frederic, was a Grayling business caller Tuesday.

Robert Pointer of West Branch was a Grayling business caller Monday.

Harry Reynolds of Flint, visited his family here over the week end.

Principal Silvernail of Eaton Rapids school was in Grayling on business Saturday.

Mrs. R. D. Bailey of Gaylord visited friends here a couple of days this week.

We are showing thirty new patterns of inlaid and printed linoleums. Sorenson Bros.

Star Route No. 1, starting May 1st, will leave Grayling every day except Sunday.

Mrs. Emil Niederer returned home Saturday after a ten days visit with friends in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold McNeven and daughter Gloria motored to Bay City Sunday and spent the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Palmer and Harry Lurger of Bay City visited relatives and friends here Sunday.

Miss Coletta Smith visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith in West Branch over the week end.

Whitman's and Lambert's candy in special Mother's Day packing. We attend to mailing and packing.

Central Drug Store.

Harry Hum of Detroit is visiting his daughter Fern for a few days. While here he will enjoy the first few days of the trout fishing season.

Rev. Fr. Herr of Detroit is at his cabin on the Au Sable to enjoy the first few days of the trout fishing season.

Sale of Parke Davis & Co.'s toilet goods is still on. Buy two items and get one free.

Central Drug Store

Mr. and Mrs. John Yuill of Vanderbilt spent the week end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ziebell.

Mrs. James Reynolds and son Jim motored to Twining Sunday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Guy Reid and family.

J. Skinner has sold his home on the South side of the river, and will take up his residence on the Hunter place in Maple Forest.

Mrs. Thomas Wakeley and young son, are returning to their home down the river after spending a few weeks here visiting relatives and friends.

Cliff Durant came up from his fine summer home on the South Branch last week and purchased a new Essex Sedan from the Corwin Auto Sales Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Michelson and daughter Frances Jane of Mason, arrived Tuesday and are at their cottage at Lake Margrethe for the summer.

Alvin La Chappel is the new yard clerk at the Michigan Central yard office. The position of yardmaster has been abolished account of reduction of forces.

Mrs. Charles Trombly left Wednesday for Detroit where she will visit for a few days with her daughters, Mrs. Guy Bradley and family and Mrs. Florence Warren.

Owners of the new Ford cars are the biggest boosters. You will make no mistake in owning one of the wonderful cars. Call Burke garage for free demonstration.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Benore are new residents in Grayling. Mr. Benore has accepted a position as barber in the Cowell barber shop, taking the place formerly held by Mr. Davis.

While visiting friends in town early this week, Mrs. Orlo Shreve of Linger Longer Club, was taken seriously ill and is at present confined to her bed at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Dominic Galvani.

Mr. Shepard and daughter returned to their home in Dayton, Ohio, after spending a few weeks at their cabin on the Au Sable. Mr. Shepard has just completed a fine new cabin on the Au Sable.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Baumgras of Lansing, arrived here Sunday and are at their home at the Military Reservation. Mr. Baumgras is here to look after preparations for the summer activities at Camp Grayling.

L. H. Chamberlain who has been shaking hands with old friends here for a few days last week, left for Bay City Saturday where he will visit with his sisters for a few days before returning to his home in Detroit.

Larry Stamply and George Hilton of Lansing arrived Sunday, and are now located at the Military Reservation assisting in getting things ready for the soldier's training camp. Carlyle Brown also started work there Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. James McNeven and daughter Ruth, motored to Lansing and spent Sunday. They were accompanied home by their daughter Mrs. Clare Smith and little daughter who will remain for a couple of weeks visit with her parents.

The fire department was called to the home of Mrs. Ruby Annis last Friday where fire had started, burning a large hole in the roof. The most serious damage was done by water, however the roof has been repaired and Mrs. Annis is now back in her home.

Peter F. Jorgenson has just put a complete new cement floor in the garage building occupied by Corwin Auto Sales Co. The work was done by Wm. Moshier. This makes a fine improvement to the place and is much more convenient for sales and service garage.

Miss Hermann's Sunday School class of Michelson Memorial church want to thank all those who helped to make their supper, that was given at the church last Friday night, a success. They especially want to thank the members of the Ladies Aid Society who made donations for the occasion. The money earned will be used for Sunday School purposes.

Fresh Cream Cottage Cheese delivered daily. Grayling Creamery.

The Eabern Harrisons moved out to their summer home at Lake Margrethe on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Peterson of Johannesburg were callers in Grayling Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred R. Welsh are visiting friends in Grand Rapids and Detroit for a few days.

George Granger, who is attending M. S. C., visited his mother Mrs. Cella Granger and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Giegling and son, Boger, motored to Hale, Saturday and spent the week end.

Robert Gillett and Frank Sales returned Friday from a business trip to Grand Rapids and Newago.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Bennett are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, born April 25th.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Jerome and son of Lansing visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Bates over the week end.

Mr. Weller, of the Michigan Public Service Co., at Cheboygan, was in Grayling Wednesday looking after business interests here.

Fred Alexander, who has been visiting friends in Grand Rapids the past couple of weeks, returned home Monday.

Mother has a sweet tooth same as other folks. Send her a nice box of candy on her day, May 13th.

Miss Ruby Stephan of Toledo spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Stephan and family at their cabin down the river.

Rooms—Modern, heat, lights and bath. \$3.00 per week, or \$1.00 per day. Phone 337, Mrs. George Miller. 4-26-2

Mrs. Edward Larson and son Roland stopped Tuesday enroute from Flint to visit for a few hours with Mrs. Anna Hermann and family.

Mrs. Clarence Brown and Emerson Brown returned from East Jordan Friday where they had spent a few days visiting the latter's sister, Mrs. Edward Straehl.

Miss Norma Lebahn who is employed in Cheboygan spent the week end visiting her aunt Mrs. Anna Hermann and family. She left Monday for Harbor Beach where she will visit her parents for a couple of weeks.

One lot of interior clear varnish at half price. Comes in gallons, half gallons, quarts, pints and half pints. Will guarantee this product to be all right and you are buying it at an extremely low price.

Sorenson Bros.

The first base ball game of the season will be played on the local diamond Friday afternoon, when the Standish High School plays the local High School team. Let us help the boys win by our presence at this game.

A surprising change came about May 1st and the day turned out to be a very good day for trout fishing. There was some wind but otherwise the day was satisfactory. Quite a number of large fish were reported. Lorraine Sparkes so far holds the honors with a 22 inch rainbow, caught in the main stream. Ernest Borchers was back to town at 8:00 a. m. the first day with a fine large catch, included in which were an 18 and a 17 inch rainbow. Since Tuesday the weather has warmed up nicely and the sports should be satisfied in that respect.

The last of a series of bridge dinners was given by Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hanson and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bauman and Miss Bauman at Shoppenagons Inn on Friday evening with the ladies and gentlemen of the Bridge Club as guests. A very effective bowl of flowers, made up of pansies and sweetpeas graced the center of the long dinner table while bouquets of sweetpeas were placed at each end of the table. Five tables were filled for bridge at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hanson later in the evening. Mrs. C. C. Clippert and A. E. Mason were prize winners.

A couple of state police, sheriff Bohemeyer, Deputy Weaver and undersheriff May, made raids on 13 places in Frederic Saturday, and arrested Chip Ensign and James Pratt for violating the Volstead Act. This is Mr. Pratt's third offense. The men were brought to Grayling and will be tried at Federal Court in Bay City in the near future. Paddle Burke was also arrested, for running a slot machine in his place of business and was brought to Grayling and tried in Justice Court. He plead guilty and paid a fine of \$25 and costs.

Many of the school youngsters, both boys and girls, made the most of May first by taking the day off and going to the trout streams. Lunch baskets, some as large as family laundry baskets, were well filled, tackle and bait provided and with the family auto some of these youngsters broke into summer out-door life in real earnest. A few caught trout but all had a fine time. There weren't enough boys and girls in school to assemble one good sized class. Secretary Bates of the school board ordered the teachers to dismiss school for the day, and that was just the right thing to do under the circumstances.

Miss Durfee and Miss Adams accompanied the Misses Marguerite Warren and Marie Schmitt, and Edward and Frederic Mason to Boyne City Saturday where they took part in the Northwestern District shorthand and typewriting contest. Other towns that had student entries were: Cheboygan, Boyne City, East Jordan, Petoskey and Charlevoix. Miss Warren and Frederic Mason were the two participants for first year typing while Miss Schmidt, the only advance typing student from Grayling, won second place with an average of 59.2 words per minute. Edward Mason was the only shorthand student from here. This is wonderful practice for students who are taking this work, and we are hoping that another year Grayling will be able to send a still larger delegation from its school to take part in the contest.

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Coats of fine quality and especially well made, yet priced at less than you could buy the material for making them. Just the thing for children's wardrobes.

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Grayling, Michigan

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Phone 162

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For this week's Sunday dinner we will have some especially fine roasting chickens. If you would like one, better phone No. 2 right away and tell us to save the size fowl you wish.

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CARD OF THANKS

We the undersigned persons desire to thank the public for their kind donations also for the flowers from the school children and others in our sad bereavement, in the death of our son and brother.


Father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. David Shortz and family,
Mr. and Mrs. John Geven,
Mr. and Mrs. Axel Larson,
Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Shortz,
Miss Alice Shortz,
Louis Shortz.

CLOSE RELATION




He—Do I know Hicks? I should say so. He's a very close relative of mine.
She—I should say so. He's even closer than you are.

EXTRACTION



Mother—Ethel, I saw you sitting on your dentist's knee. Is that the way he extracts a tooth?
Daughter—No, mother; but that's the way he extracts a promise.

MAYBE WHEN HE LEFT



He (enjoying open fire)—What time do you love best?
She (helpfully)—Why don't you experiment and find out?

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Gigantic Combination of Capital Announced at New York.

THE New York World announced that it regarded as an accomplished fact the biggest communications merger on record. This, it stated, was the combination of the Mackay companies, operating 5,000 Postal telegraph offices in the United States, and the International Telephone and Telegraph company.

The deal brings together companies with combined assets of \$225,000,000 and with about 125,000 miles of joined cable, telephone and telegraph wires in the United States, Canada, Mexico, Cuba and Central and South America.

The merger as outlined will see the ascension of the Behn brothers—Sorenson, Behn and Herman Behn—whose family fortune was founded in Porto Rico, over the Mackays, California forty-niners.

The Mackay fortune was founded when John W. Mackay, father of the present head of the Mackay companies, discovered the famous Comstock lode in 1845. The elder Mackay later started the Postal Telegraph company. His son obtained control of commercial cables and last year the Federal Telegraph system on the Pacific coast. Mr. Mackay's personal fortune is estimated at \$50,000,000.

Col. Charles A. Lindbergh is now a congressional medal of honor man. President Coolidge planned the coveted emblem, the highest decoration of the American government, upon the blushing trans-Atlantic hero during a brief, impressive ceremony March 21, on the White House grounds.

Vice President Dawes, Speaker Lougworth (Rep., Ohio), members of the cabinet, and high officers of the army and navy witnessed the presentation.


THE Bank of the Soviet Union has engaged the New York law firm of Simpson, Thacher and Bartlett to fight the Bank of France's attempt to replevin \$5,210,000 in gold sent here by the Russian institution and is prepared to bring a counter-claim for losses it may sustain through the French action.

It is estimated that the Russian bank is losing from \$700 to \$1,000 in interest daily on the metal, which lies in the vaults of the Chase National bank and the Equitable Trust company. Had it not been for the French action the gold might have been out of the country by now or else used as the basis of credits with private American interests.

Simpson, Thacher and Bartlett are scrutinizing the French-Soviet treaty to determine whether the Bank of France's action is in accordance with its terms. Under the treaty, all claims by French nationals against the Soviet government are subject to diplomatic adjustment. A spokesman for the Bank of the Soviet Union said that, although the treaty has been in force for some years, the Bank of France has never filed a claim for the gold until the present action.

Women seem to wear fewer clothes but married man still is limited to three hooks in the closet.—San Francisco Chronicle.

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MAPLE FOREST NEWS

Miss Helen Darling was in Grayling over the week end visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Darling.

The Malco School had a health contest, Dorothy Rector winning first prize and Mary Hammel second prize. They will also hold another contest this month.

The county nurse, Miss Keeran, visited the Malco school last week.

A number of friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Owen last Friday night, and enjoyed an evening of fun. There were twenty-five present, and supper was served by the ladies.

A number of friends of William Woodburn came over to help him raise the barn on his farm. Twenty-five participated and Mrs. Woodburn dined to the party.

Mrs. Henry Verilinde is ill at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Vallad of Barcelona were visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Vallad, last week.

LEADERSHIP

By THOMAS ARKLE CLARK
Dean of Men, University of Illinois.

IT WAS Amil the Goth who said to Wulf, the chief of the tribe, when he was hesitating as to his own action:

"If the blison-bull lie down and wallow, what will the herd do for a leader? If the king-wolf lose the scent, how will the pack hold it? If the Yelling forgets the song of Asgard, who will sing it to the heroes?"

Example is the strongest influence in leadership.

Clayton had charge of seven thousand men whose job was ship building during the World war—untrained, illiterate men most of them were, who were used to hard work and a rough life, and to be ruled with an iron wrist, and Clayton was a man of education and refinement. He had seen the world; he had known men of prominence and influence; he was a gentleman in every sense of the word, but for all his refinement of taste and education, he had no difficulty with his men, and the reason was that he lived with them, he ate the food that they ate, he slept as they slept, he worked as many hours daily and as hard as they worked, he lived soberly and discreetly as he would have liked them to live. They respected his character, they recognized his leadership, and they followed as the pack follows the king-wolf.

The boss gave Williams very good advice when he took him on in a subordinate position. He emphasized the fact that regular and temperate habits were necessary to success. He gave Williams to understand that drinking and gambling were not consonant with progress in their firm. The advice was excellent and Williams listened to it with respect. But he had not been long with the firm until he learned that the boss was not following the advice which he had given his subordinates. His breath did not always suggest a respect for the Volstead act; his stories of what he had won in a friendly game with one of his neighbors did not indicate that he himself refrained from gambling, and if he did not, why should Williams? The boss had succeeded and had been neither temperate nor always scrupulous as to how he won his money. His example told strangely in molding Williams' character. He was the blison-bull lying down and wallowing, and the herd was following his example.

Gaston, who was head of his fraternity, was worried about the freshmen in the house. It was hard to keep them in at night—they were crazy about dates. It was difficult to keep them at their books, and their scholarships were not what it should be. He wanted advice.

"How many nights a week are you in?" I asked. He colored a little and hesitated.

"I am out a good deal," he confessed. "You see I am engaged, and she likes to see me for a while every evening."

"And your grades?"

"Not all that they should be, I'm sorry to say."

It was the king-wolf losing the scent, and I tried to show him.

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MOST OF 'EM HAVE MORE



Teacher—In leap year every month has twenty-nine days in it, you say, Willie? Aren't you wrong about 'at?
Pupil—No, ma'am—most of 'em have more.

TOO SLOW



She—Do you believe in fairies?
He—Too slow—I use the flying machine in crossing the river every morning.

BARRED PLYMOUTH ROCK



She—I see you keep your black and white hens closely confined.
He—Oh, yes; to be sure.
She—They must be barred Plymouth Rocks.

ADMISSION that "we may have overlooked something" by the builder of the collapsed St. Francis dam featured the first official inquiry to fix the dam blame at the corner's inquest over the bodies of 60 of the dam victims.

William Mutholland, seventy-two, chief engineer of the Los Angeles municipal water board, who built the dam, declared: "The only ones I now envy are those that are dead."

Loss of life in the disaster is now computed at 449 persons—272 known dead and 177 missing and believed to have perished. While search for dead continued, more than 100 tractors being used to tear through big piles of debris, authorities in the stricken zone decided to confine efforts only to reclaimable land. Debris on unreclaimable area occupied by the old bed of the Santa Clara river will be buried. Authorities said it would be impossible to put a large enough force at work to recover bodies on unreclaimable land within a reasonable time.

Evidence that a dynamite explosion may have caused the collapse of the dam and released the flood of death on the Santa Clara river valley was said to be in the hands of investigating authorities.

So much credence was placed on the findings of deputy sheriffs assigned to the flood area that every reservoir and dam in the entire Los Angeles water system was put under a heavy guard.

A N AMERICAN girl was married March 17 to one of the wealthiest of Hindu princes in a ceremony modern in manner, medieval in splendor and ancient ritual.

The wedding, which united Miss Nancy Ann Miller of Seattle with Sir Tukojirao Holkar, former maharajah of Indore, was witnessed by thousands of Hindus, dressed like true princes and princesses and wearing the costliest jewels money can buy.

After the ceremony, which ended ten days of ritual whereby Miss Miller became a Hindu, princess and a member of the Holkar family, bride and groom were hosts at a banquet to 10,000 guests.

FEDERAL supervision of the coal industry, as tentatively suggested by Senator Gooding (Rep., Idaho), was endorsed on behalf of the United Mine Workers by John L. Lewis, president.

Lewis, who has informed the senate investigating committee that his organization is ready to meet with operators to suggest legislation to stabilize the industry, declared that the union would be "practically unanimous" in supporting federal control of coal production and marketing, because the Gooding proposal is the most constructive made to date. The coal commission idea has been endorsed also by several coal operators during the inquiry, but others refused to commit themselves.

ONE of the most pitiful tragedies in the annals of the American navy was revealed in the Charlestown (Mass.) navy yard. Eight remaining

bodies were taken from the submarine S-4, now in dry dock there. At the same time it was made clear what occurred inside that vessel after it was rammed and sunk by the coast guard destroyer Paulding, on rum chasing duty, near Provincetown December 27.

Conditions shown as the water was pumped out of the S-4 made it evident that every one of the 40 men in the submarine had found temporary safety in locked compartments and had died many hours later, either suffocated by deadly gases or smothered by the exhaustion of the air.

Thirty-four men had lived for an undetermined number of hours in the motor and engine room compartments. Five or six men who had lived approximately three days in the forward torpedo room had died, it was indicated, sleeping peacefully in their bunks. Some of them had partly undressed to make themselves more comfortable.

RECEIPTS from the March 15 income tax returns reported to the Treasury department to the close of business March 17, aggregated \$215,550,008. On the same date a year ago the returns aggregated \$197,890,398, an increase this year of \$17,659,609.

Should this proportion hold good for the entire collection on income for the last calendar year, the treasury would receive about \$100,000,000 above its estimate.

TWENTY-TWO of the 25 countries represented on the preparatory committee for a League of Nations disarmament conference lined up against the Soviet plan for immediate complete disarmament.

Hugh S. Gibson, the United States; David Whitmarsh, Cuba; Baron Rolin Jacquemyns, Belgium; Jonker Rutgers, Holland; E. Heening, Sweden; M. Sokal, Poland; and M. Markovitch, Yugo-Slavia, added their criticisms to others, making the Russian defeat overwhelming.

SENATOR Woodbridge N. Ferris (D.) of Michigan, died at Washington after a short illness from bronchial pneumonia.

Death came in the hotel where he made his home in the capital. Members of his family, summoned a week ago when the doctors virtually gave up hope of saving his life, were at the bedside. The body was taken to his Michigan home, at Big Rapids, for burial.

Senator Ferris was 75 years old and was serving his first term. He recently announced that because of his advanced age and ill health he would not be a candidate for re-election.

NORA Hayes, comedienne who delighted audiences in Broadway and London theaters for more than a score of years and cheered many per-

New Triumph of the Egg

Here's another "triumph of the egg," a culinary triumph.

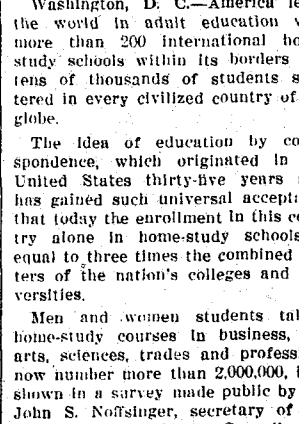
It's called Goldenrod eggs and is guaranteed to melt the hardest masculine heart, when served with its proper accompaniment, a delicious white sauce.

The white sauce is easily prepared by the home manager and hens do most of the groundwork on the Goldenrod dish proper. In making the white sauce, you melt two tablespoons of butter or margarine in a saucepan, add two tablespoons of flour and cook until the mass bubbles. Combine with this, one cupful of milk, one-half teaspoonful of salt, and a little pepper, and cook for a minute or two or until the starch taste has disappeared. Care is required to prevent the sauce from being lumpy.

One and a half cupfuls of this sauce is sufficient for Goldenrod eggs for five persons. The eggs are prepared in this fashion: Chop the whites of five hard-boiled eggs coarsely and mix with white sauce. When very hot, pour over five pieces of hot toast. Press the egg yolks through a sieve and sprinkle thickly over the creamed eggs.

Julienne himself could do no better!

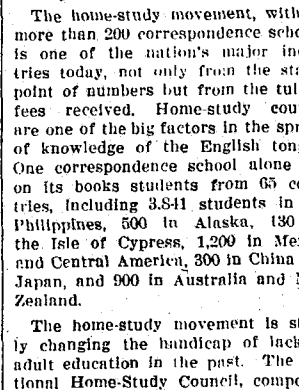
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BORER LEFT HOMELESS



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MICH. EXHIBIT AT CHICAGO MAY 7-12

Michigan—the state with the greatest vacationing assets—will have all of her recreational and scenic attractions on parade the week of May 7 to 12 at the Out-Door Life Exposition and Motor Boat Show to be held at the Coliseum, Chicago.

And Michigan may well be proud of the exhibit which will represent the state for it will be the most unique state exhibits ever offered to the public interested in outdoor recreation. One whole aisle of the Coliseum, to be known as "Michigan Avenue," has been reserved for Michigan exhibits and directly above the aisle and on the east wall of the Coliseum will hang a huge map of the state depicting the choice roads, camp sites, state parks, and streams of the state.

With thirty cages of wild game and twelve tanks of live fish on display the Michigan exhibit is sure to attract attention. Very wisely those in charge of the exhibits have decided to make a mass appeal to the hundreds of thousands who annually attend the show to study the vacation suggestions and sports accessories to be found there.

The north woods states of Minnesota, Wisconsin, South Dakota, and Montana will also have large and very attractive exhibits but the variety, size, and compactness of the Michigan exhibit will easily dominate the exposition this year.

Much credit should go to those in charge of the work which will make Michigan the dominating state show, according to Milo E. Westbrook, manager of the exposition, for thousands of vacationists are sure to be attracted to Michigan after viewing the state exhibit. Among those who have been responsible for the beautiful Michigan exhibits are: W. H. Loutit, executive chairman of the conservation commission, George Bishop, secretary of the Upper Peninsula Development Bureau of Marquette, T. F. Marston, secretary of the East Michigan Tourist Association, Hugh Gray, secretary of the Michigan Tourist and Resort Association, Conservation Director George Hogarth, J. C. Bukena and H. C. Hastings, Jr. of the Muskegon Chamber of Commerce, J. H. Pound of the Benton Harbor Chamber of Commerce, Ray Davis of the St. Joseph Chamber of Commerce, and Frederic E. Howe of the Dowagiac Chamber of Commerce.

Station W. L. S. will broadcast direct from the Out-Door Show on Tuesday, May 8th, from 4:45 to 5:30 p. m.—daylight saving time. Wm. H. Loutit will broadcast a message of welcome to vacation seekers to come to Michigan this summer and other state officials will follow him in messages extolling the vacationing assets of the state.

One of the biggest attractions of the show will be the attendance at

the show of the "Blossom Queen" and retinue on Wednesday, May 9th. The queen and her court will sing the Blossom song over W. L. S. and will be followed by Michigan Alumni singing "The Yellow and the Blue" and "The Victrola."

Tune in every day on W.L.S. from 4:45 to 5:30 and from 7:35 to 8:00 p. m.—daylight saving time—and you will get the Out-Door Show.

The Coliseum will resemble a huge camp out of doors the week of May 7th to 12th and the nature lovers are sure to get a real thrill when they pass through the doors and get the smell of the huge pine trees, hear the calls of the wild game and see real Indians, cowboys, and guides. Everything pertaining to the world of outdoor recreation will be on view at the show and the casual visitor is sure to find his hand itching for the feel of the rod, reel and gun.

As usual the world's champion log rollers will be on hand to take part in contests in a huge tank in the Coliseum, as will tree choppers, old time fiddlers, and bait casters. The bait casting tournaments are open to the public and valuable prizes are offered to the winners of the various tournaments.

I may develop, by the time the two conventions roll around that some of the candidates who thought they were running, were standing still.